GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ON HOMOEOPATHY
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the International Conferences on Homoeopathy held during the last three years including the details of officials from the Government of India who attended each conferences;

(b) whether there is a separate budget for international conferences in the ministry;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the details of the budget provision (BE) during the year 2002-03 including the amount spent during the year 2002-03?

Answer

MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) : As per information available, two Conferences of Asia Pacific Conference on Acupuncture, Homoeopathy, Oriental and Complementary Medicine were held at Kota Bharu in Malaysia during the last three years. Dr. R.N. Shaw, Director, Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy attended one Conference during 2000-2001.

(b) & (c) : The Department has a scheme of `International Exchange Programmes/Seminars, Workshops on ISM&H` under which grant in aid is given for arranging International Exchange Programmes/seminars, Workshops etc. on ISM&H.

(d) : Against an allocation of Rs. 100.00 lakhs an expenditure of Rs.63.00 lakhs has been incurred during the year 2002-2003.